

Higher Education and Campus Ministry Book Award

Higher Education and Campus Ministry Book Award was established to aid a graduating high school senior or current college or technical school student with a \$500.00 book award, to assist with the cost of pursuing a higher education. The book award will be maintained in an account by BHUMC and administered through the Higher Education and Campus Ministry of Ben Hill United Methodist Church. Once the Book Award is awarded the money must be requested by April of the following year.

Criteria:

1. Candidate does not have to be a member of Ben Hill United Methodist Church.
2. Candidate must be a graduating high school senior or a freshman, sophomore, or junior enrolled in an accredited college or technical school.
3. Candidate must be accepted in a 2 or 4 year accredited college or technical school.
4. Candidate must submit the following:
 - a. A resume
 - b. A 300+ word 5-paragraph essay addressing the subject, ***“How The Higher Education and Campus Ministry Book Award will assist me in my academic pursuits”***
 - c. An official high school transcript, official college transcript, or official technical school transcript reflecting your grades through fall semester.
 - d. A College or Technical school Enrollment Verification Form.
 - e. 2 letters of recommendations:
 - i. One from a minister, Youth Leader, Sunday Scholars’ teacher, or community leader who has observed you and can affirm your active participation in church or community
 - ii. One from a counselor, or teacher who has observed you and can affirm your active participation in school, or community.

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
High School		Proposed College/University
High School GPA		Proposed Major
Home Address		
Telephone (Area Code/Number)		E-Mail
<p>Essay</p> <p>On a separate page, compose a 300-word essay in which you address the following question, <i>“How The Higher Education and Campus Ministry Book Award will assist me in my academic pursuits”</i> The essay must be typed, doubled spaced in 12-point font, with one-inch margins on the top, bottom, left, and right.</p>		
Signature		Date

1. Attach this cover page to your essay and supporting documents
2. **Completed application must be received no later than the deadline** in a sealed envelope via postal mail or placed in the Higher Education mailbox. **All applications received after the deadline or are incomplete will not be reviewed**

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